

Lithium Lens Upgrade Objectives

Produce a reliable 1 cm. radius, 100 kg/cm lithium lens

Solid lithium lens

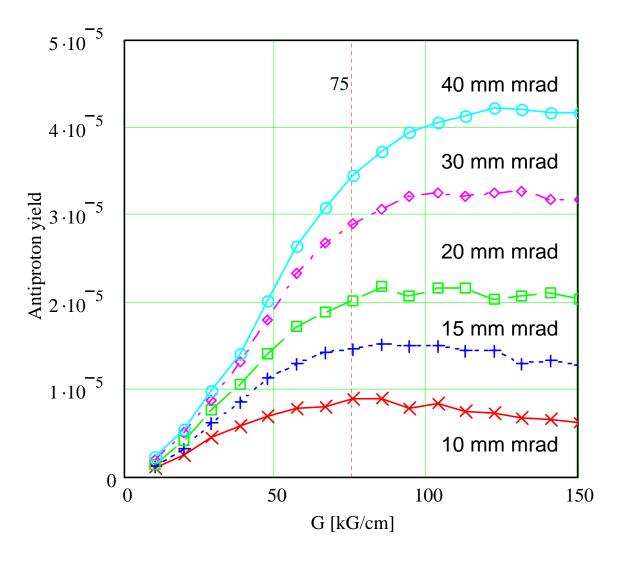
Disassemble and analyze lenses that have failed Create an ANSYS model to better understand mechanical stresses Review and improve quality control during lens assembly Create an alternative lens design

Liquid lithium lens

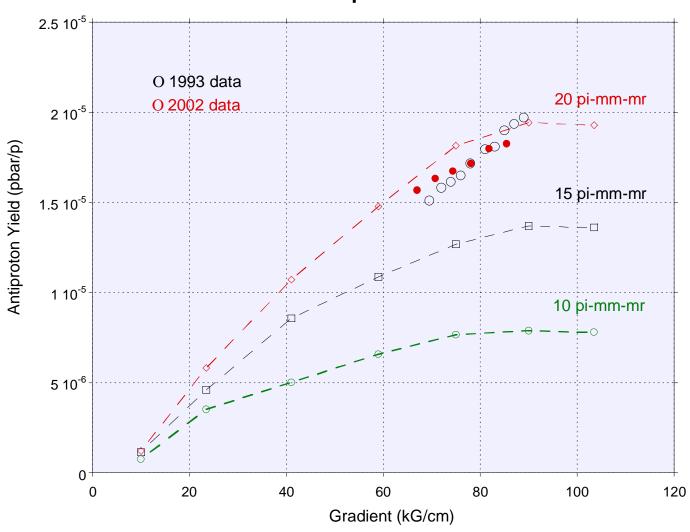
R&D effort at BINP, Novosibirsk After successful test, significant effort required to modify apparatus

Lens Gradient vs. Measured Debuncher Yield





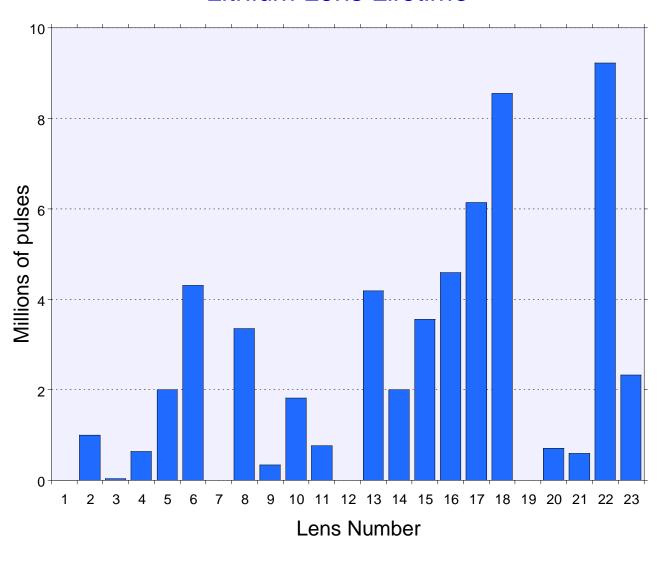
Lithium Lens Gradient vs. Antiproton Yield



Observed Lens Lifetime

Lens Gradient (T/m)	Average Pulses to Failure	
1,000	< 500,000	
900	1,000,000	
800	3,000,000	
740	9,000,000	
700	> 10,000,000	

Lithium Lens Lifetime



Lithium Lens Upgrade ANSYS summary for current lens

Analysis of thermal analogue completed and report written Indicates relatively moderate cyclic stresses, well below fatigue limit Evidence of lithium separation from titanium septum at high gradient Model is being refined to include more realistic material properties Need to understand differences between model and autopsy results Investigate loads on 18 cm. "long" lens

Lithium Lens Upgrade Autopsy results

Lenses scheduled for disassembly and analysis

Lenses #20 and #21, #26 and Russian lens completely done
Lenses #17 and #18 disassembled, awaiting analysis
Lens #16 awaiting disassembly
Lens #22 cooling down

Two general failure modes to inner septum

Axial intergranular fracture followed by a ductile fracture

Intergranular nature of crack more consistant with corrosion

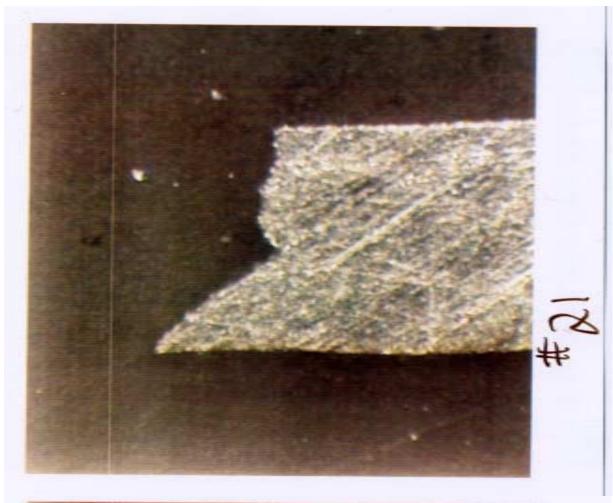
Length of ductile fracture consistant with lower loads from ANSYS

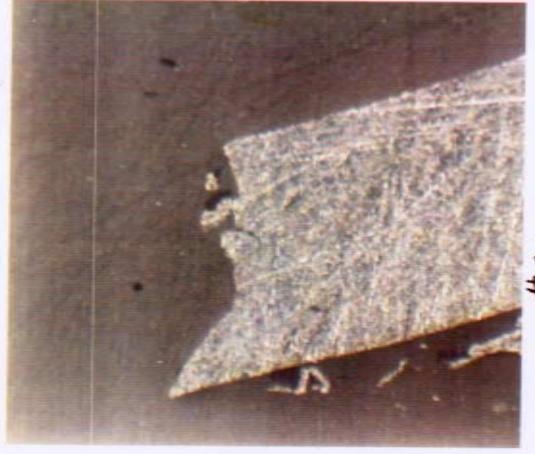
Circumferential channels burned through septum

Suggests internal arcing, possibly from Li/Ti separation

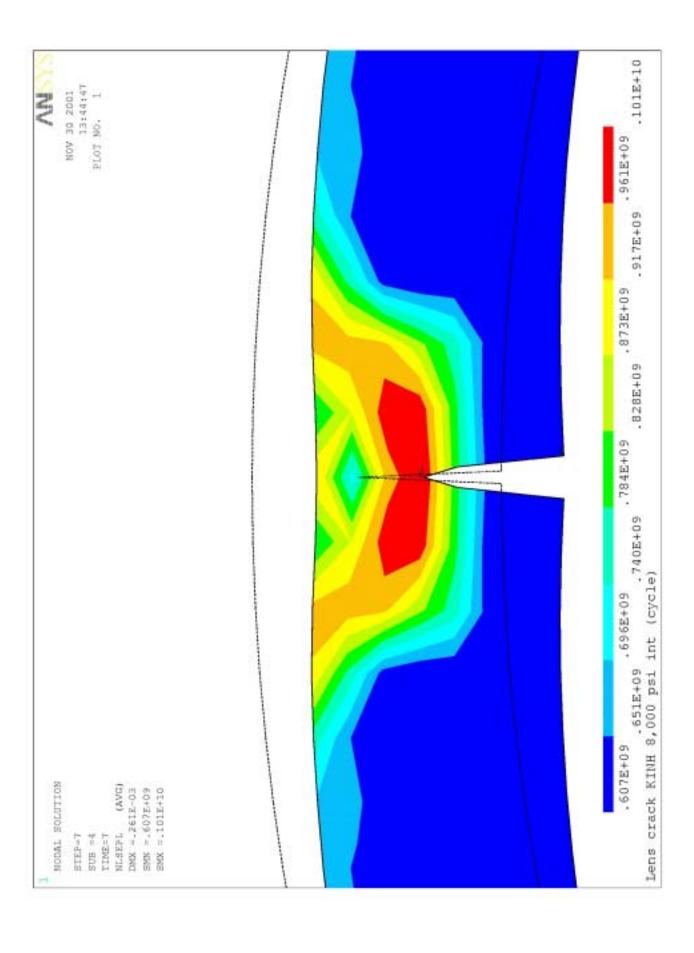
Small cracks may be obliterated after arcing begins

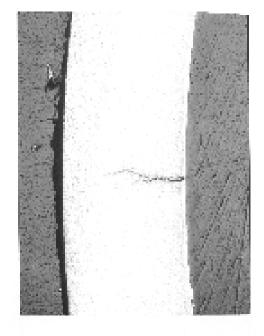
Multiple cracks and pits found on inside surfaces of septa





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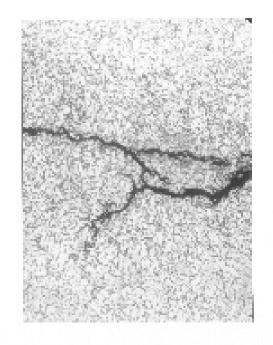
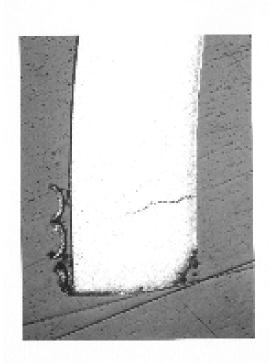
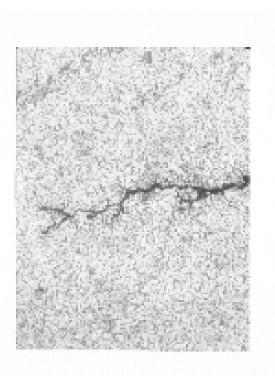


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Lithium Lens Upgrade Quality Control Improvements

Lens Fill

Added instrumentation to lens body
Improved data acquisition
Changed strain gauges to improve accuracy
Pressure transducers upgraded
Created dummy lens to calibrate instrumentation
R&D of lens seals and lithium properties

Lens Preparation

Improved electron beam welding techniques
Lithium handling procedures changed to minimize contamination
Created new septum cleaning procedures to avoid stress-corrosion cracking

Lithium Lens Upgrade

Prototype High Gradient Lens

Description

Lens body and septum both made of titanium

Eliminates complicated seal between septum and seal body

Diffusion bonding utilized for joining titanium pieces

Possible problems with integrity of central bond

Fatigue testing of diffusion bonded samples underway

Septum construction simplified

Thicker inner septum

First generation diffusion bonded lens is in final machining stage

Second generation design eliminates central joint

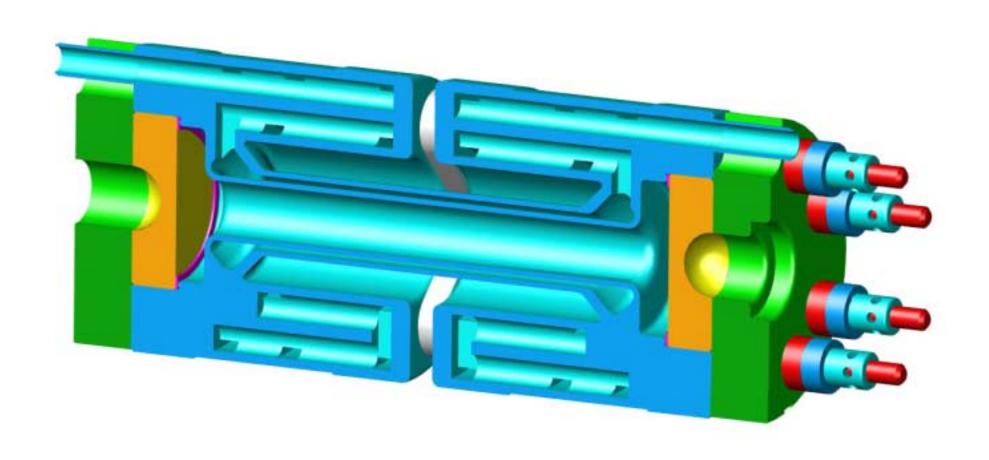
ANSYS analysis

Analysis completed, report forthcoming

Model needs same refinement as current analysis

Indicates Li/Ti separation problem and stresses similar to current lens

High Gradient Solid Lens Prototype Design



Lithium Lens Upgrade Liquid lithium lens

Advantages

Lower mechanical stresses on septum from lithium in liquid state Functional buffer volume to reduce pressure from thermal expansion Liquid lithium circulated to remove heat from lens Better regulation of lens preload

Disadvantages (don't get me started)

Challenges associated with circulating liquid metal
Locking valves required to prevent damage to circulating system
Reliability of such a complex system will probably be much lower
Elaborate control system required to regulate temperature and pressure
"Bench top" set-up will need to be heavily modified to fit in vault
Liquid lithium system much more hazardous than solid lens

Liquid Lithium Lens Original Schedule

Phase	Goal	Completion Date
1a	Conceptual Design	12/31/97
1b	Produce drawings and report	3/31/98
2a	Assemble liquid lithium lens	12/31/98
2b	Design power supply	12/31/98
3	Test lens to 1,300 T/m, ship to Fermilab	12/31/99
4	Testing at Fermilab, build spare lens	6/30/00

Lithium Lens Upgrade Summary

Solid lithium lens

Lens autopsy

Lenses 20, 21, 26 and Russian lens have been disassembled and analyzed Lenses 17 and 18 will be analyzed in the next two months.

Lens 16 and 22 will be disassembled in the next few months.

ANSYS modeling

Analysis complete on current lens design, refinements to model planned Prototype lens analysis complete, report being generated

Prototype Lens

First prototype has been bonded, machining is underway, fill to follow Second prototype is being designed with no central joint First prototype will be tested to failure while second is being built

Quality Control

Lenses 27 and 28 have been assembled with the new techniques Lens 27 has been filled with the new system Titanium embrittlement being investigated

Liquid lithium lens

R&D effort may continue BINP

The liquid lithium lens is no longer expected for use in Collider Run II